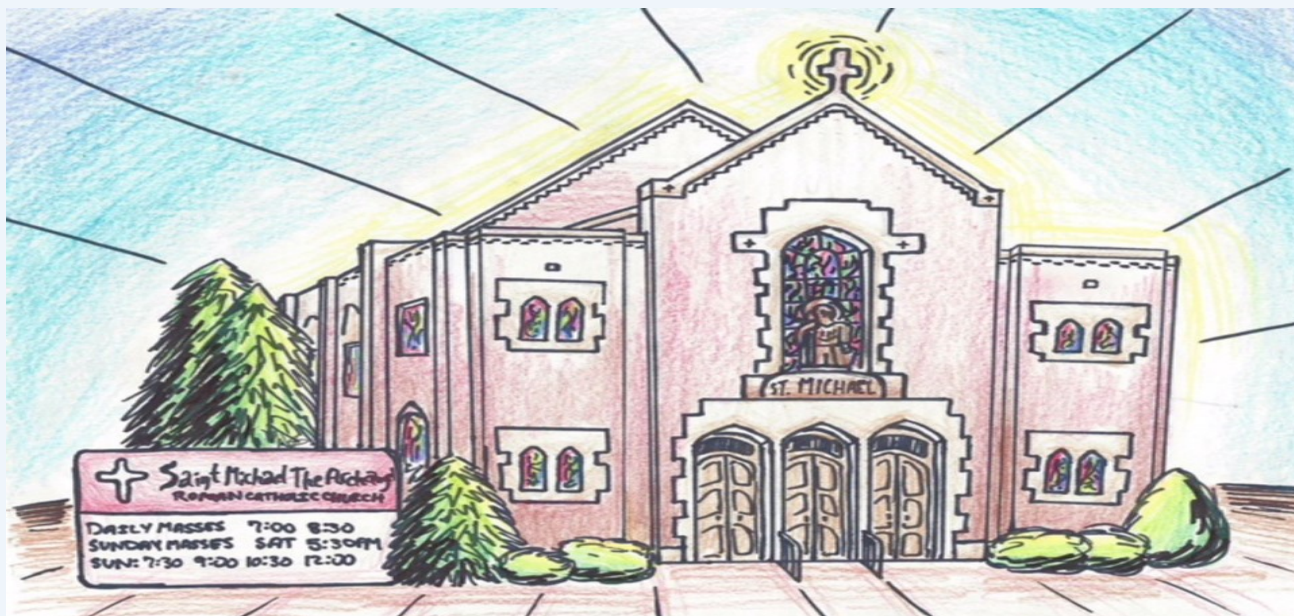


St. Michael's Parish Community

We are Stewards of God's Gifts, Time and Treasure To Build Up The Kingdom



ADDRESS:

1212 Kelly Street • Union, NJ 07083

TELEPHONES:

Rectory/Parish Center: 908-688-1232

Rectory/Parish Center fax: 908-810-1076

School: 908-688-1063

Religious Education Office: 908-964-0965

Youth Ministry Office: 908-686-3762

Email Address: stmichaelunion@comcast.net

Website: <http://stmichaelunion.org>

PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. Msgr. Anselm I. Nwaorgu, *Pastor*

Rev. Camilo Lopez, *Parochial Vicar*

Rev. Charles B. McDermott, *Pastor Emeritus*

Deacon Michael Cavallo, *Permanent Deacon*

Mrs. Marilyn Dragone,

Coordinator of Religious Education

Mr. Philip Matrale,

Pastoral Associate for Youth Ministry

Mr. Peter Petrecca, *Music Director*

Mrs. Rebekah Scicolone, *Principal*

MASS

Sundays: 5:30PM (Saturday Evening)

7:30, 9:00, 10:30AM, 12:00 Noon

Daily: Monday thru Friday 7:00, 8:30AM, 12:00 Noon

Saturday: 8:30AM

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Saturday 1:00-2:00PM

PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK

Notify a priest of all who are hospitalized or home bound. Emergencies at any time.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

The Parish initiates new members on the 2nd Sunday of the month, at 1:30PM, by arrangement. Instruction is on the Friday evening prior to the baptism, at 7:30PM.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Preparations for Christian Marriage begin one year prior to planned date of the wedding. Couples should contact one of the priests.

SACRAMENT OF HOLY ORDERS

Contact the Vocations Office of the Archdiocese of Newark at 973-313-6190 or at NewPriestNJ@gmail.com.

ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

Adults interested in becoming a member of the Catholic Church and Catholics who are in need of the Sacraments of Confirmation and/or Eucharist are welcome to inquire by calling the Parish Center.

CHRISTIAN FORMATION

St. Michael's School: An environment for growth in faith, values and knowledge, pre K-8. For further information, call the School Office.

Religious Education: a program of religious instruction, grades 1-8. For further information please call the Religious Education Office.

YOUTH MINISTRY

A comprehensive youth program for all teens from 9th to 12th grade. Our program promotes growth in Catholic values and morals, provides opportunities for Christian service and offers positive social activities. For further information call the Youth Ministry Office.

MISSION STATEMENT

St. Michael the Archangel Parish, a diverse, spiritual community in action, is dedicated to drawing people to Christ, to growing disciples, and to making church and worship matter. We do this (1) through our liturgical worship as we remember and celebrate in memory of Him; (2) through the proclamation of the Good News, as we believe and profess the message of Jesus Christ not only from the pulpit, but also in the way we live our lives; (3) through living out our stewardship of time, talent, and treasure in the service of the needs of our church, the needs of one another, and the needs of those who seek divine help through our doors.

May 26, 2019
6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER



Saturday	May 25
5:30 PM	Winifred Smyth
Sunday	May 26
7:30 AM	The United States of America
9:00 AM	Jennie Pruszkowski
10:30 AM	For the Parishioners
12:00 Noon	Thomas J. Duffy
Monday	May 27 Memorial Day
9:00 AM	Maria Tavares
Tuesday	May 28
7:00 AM	Novena of Masses
8:30 AM	Estebania Ortiz Rivera
12:00 Noon	Eulalia Alfaro
Wednesday	May 29
7:00 AM	Phil Berlinski
8:30 AM	Thomas Longo
12:00 Noon	Avelina S. Calderon
Thursday	May 30 Ascension of the Lord
7:00 AM	For the Parishioners
8:30 AM	Fernando Tan
12:00 Noon	Tracey Allen
7:00 PM	Manuel Fazendeiro
Friday	May 31
7:00 AM	Novena of Masses
8:30 AM	Edna Gillick
12:00 Noon	Johanna Smith (23rd Ann.)
Saturday	June 1
8:30 AM	Special Intentions of Kunnath Family
5:30 PM	Genevieve Karwowski
Sunday	June 2
7:30 AM	For the Parishioners
9:00 AM	Fr. Joseph Mukalel
10:30 AM	Manuel Pereira Aarujo
12:00 Noon	Anna Wosik

ALTAR OFFERINGS

The Altar Bread and Altar Wine are offered for St. Michael's Parishioners.

The Sanctuary Lamp are offered in memory of Thomas J. Duffy, requested by The Dragone Family.

ATTENTION PARISHIONERS:

All parishioners who have been in St. Michael's Parish 40 years and over, please call the Parish Center (908) 688-1232, ext. 100.

Thank you.

ATTENTION PARISHIONERS:

There will be NO 12 Noon Masses in the summer months—July and August.

The 12 Noon Masses will be resume after Labor Day.

6th SUNDAY OF EASTER

The early church struggled with a common problem: who was in and who was not. The requirements were related to the cultural and religious practices of Jewish converts. Similar questions plague us to this day regarding who belongs in our country, our neighborhoods, our schools, even our church. The answers are easily found in Jesus' call to keep his word of love and peace. You would think we would have figured out by now, but tribalism runs deep.

Acts 15:1-2, 22-29 The first church council resolves conflicts about Jewish practices.

Ps 67 O God, let all the nations praise you!

Rv 21:10-14, 22-23 The new Jerusalem will be a community for all.

Jn 14:23-29 Jesus assures the disciples of his continuing presence and love.

NOVENA OF MASSES – MAY 2019

James Ford, Sr.	Alejandro T. Cruz
Jose J. Arnaldo	Ann L. Corrigan
George Reinhart	Vincent A. DiBisceglie
Mary Russomanno	Louis Sauro
Rosemary Sauro	Mary & Idolo Russomanno
Craig Calix (Living)	Special Intentions
Jurusik & Arner Families	John Francis Mahon
Micheline & Joseph Kmetz	Rick Jost
Frank Rubinetti, Sr.	Pierre & Rubinetti Families
Julienne Racine (Living)	Romel Perez (Living)
Lilia Tessoro Oviejas	Eden Ighan
Ernesto Santa Maria	Antonio Oliveira Fernandes
St. Rita Intentions	

John P. Hynes & Irene C. Hynes

Fred Pajarillo & Family Special Intentions (Living)

Special Intentions of Kunnath Family

Francisca, Jun-Jun, Mercy Jane Musa

Living & Deceased Members of the Santoriello Family

Living & Deceased Members of the Czapla, Leniart & McMahon Families

Living & Deceased Members of the Ameruso & Scalgione Families

Living & Deceased Members of the Mabalot, Veluz & Tan Families

Living & Deceased Members of the Soares, Cruz, Albuquerque & Matos Families



UPCOMING EVENTS



Sunday	May 26
10:30 AM	CYO Mass
Monday	May 27
Parish Center closed for Memorial Day	
8:30 AM	Rosary, Church
7:00 PM	Zumba, LC
Tuesday	May 28
8:00 AM	Rosary, Church
6:00 PM	CYO Charity Volleyball, Farrell Gym
7:00 PM	Bible Class
Wednesday	May 29
8:00 AM	Rosary, Church
7:00 PM	Devotion to Our Lady, Church
Thursday	May 30 ASCENSION OF THE LORD
8:00 AM	Rosary, Church
7:00 PM	Confirmation Registration, LC
Friday	May 31
Saturday	June 1
9:30 AM	Zumba, LC
1:00 PM	Confession, Church
12:00 Noon-4:00 PM	Couples for Christ, LC
6:30 PM	Paint & Sip, LC
Sunday	June 2
1:30 PM	Young Adults Group Meeting, Murphy Room
6:30 PM	First Sunday Adoration, Church

"SOS COLLECTION"

On the first weekend of each month, the first collection is the "SOS" collection. This collection is dedicated especially for our utility bills. **The next SOS collection the weekend of June 1 & 2, 2019.** SOS donations are appreciated at all times. Thank you.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Give and gifts will be given to you...the measure with which you measure will in turn be measured out to you. Luke 6:38

	Week of <u>5/19/2019</u>	Yr. to Date <u>7/1/-5/19/2019</u>
Collections	\$ 6,639	\$ 324,481
Online Collections	\$ 817	\$ 26,595
SOS	\$ 586	\$ 115,755
Online SOS	\$ 555	\$ 20,455
<hr/>		
Total	\$ 8,597	\$ 487,286
Budget	\$ 11,026	\$ 480,400
<hr/>		
Difference	(\$ 2,429)	\$ 6,886
<hr/>		
Easter Collection	\$32,203	

Thank you for your continued generosity!

\$50
PER TICKET

ST. MICHAEL PARISH CALENDAR RAFFLE



CALENDAR RAFFLE

12 WEEKS = 12 CHANCES TO WIN!

\$5,400 IN TOTAL CASH PRIZES!

Drawings on Sundays at 1:30pm

Thank you for supporting St. Michael Parish

PosterMyWall.com

CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION

Registration for our 2019-2020 Confirmation Class has begun and registration forms have been mailed out to all 8th grade student parents.

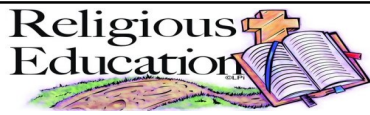


All those registering for Confirmation must be in High School by September and have completed 8 years of Religious Education. Make-Up classes are available for those who have not completed 8 years. Registration forms and payment are due by June 1st.

Our Parent/Student Information Meeting will be held on Thursday, May 30th at 7pm in the Lower Church Hall. Sacramental Information, Mass Attendance Cards, Service Projects and how to choose a Faithful Sponsor will be fully discussed at this meeting.

SHARING GOD'S BLESSINGS ANNUAL APPEAL

Thanks to all our parishioners who have made their gift to the 2019 Sharing God's Blessings Annual Appeal. St. Michael's is **50%** towards our goal of **\$44,721**. If you have not yet made a gift or pledge, please fill out a commitment card located in the Church. Please help support the many programs and ministries that assist so many in our community. The Annual Appeal provides the poor with food, shelter and clothing; makes religious education, spiritual guidance and CYO programs available for the young; insures the future leadership of the Church with seminarian education and training; and most important, brings Christ's Good News to the people of the Archdiocese. **Our parish also benefits by receiving a rebate from the appeal if it exceeds its goal. If we exceed the goal, we will use the rebate towards future projects for the parish.**



WELCOME TO THE LORD'S TABLE ...

We rejoice with students who received the Eucharist for the first time. May we keep them in our prayers as they continue their faith journey.

Victoria Abranches Aderolaoluwa Adelusi	Adaora Ike Chizoba Ike	Jackson Reid Gabriella Richter
Felipe Almeida Mylani Alvarado	Ronin Javate Jaiden Laforest	Gianna Rivera Isabella Rivera
Erik Aquilino Aidan Aquino	Jaylen Lamour Madeline Leonforte	Gianna Roman Camille Royandoyan
Sara Ballesteros Jaelynn Campbell	Kassandra Lim Samantha Lopes	Mariana Salas Angel Salcedo
Catalina Castano Araceli Cevallos	Sofia Lopez Victoria Lourenco	Kayla Samedy Amaya San Diego
Samael Charles Kareema Charlotin	Tiana Ly Alejandro Magarino	Noah San Diego Bryanna Santiago
Alexis Coral John Cruz	Sebastian Mapue Miley Matos	Miguel Santos Zari Rose Scheuerman
Matt Jayden Cruz Caylee Cuevo	John McKee V Braylon Medel-Palao	Hailey Schnering Jeremiah Soiro
Alyssa DaCruz Alexandra DelaRosa	Guiliana Mincoelli Ryan Moran	Alexander Sokolnicki Erin Sumiquiab
Avery Evaristo Gabriela Fernandes	Kaylee Ochoa Nicholas Ostrom	Isabella Tavarez Dylan Vallejo
Evan Fidalgo Olivia Galing	Leila Parades Hailey Paul	Amarie Vazquez Yvette Vazquez
Kaydenms Garcon Jonathan Genao	Abigail Paula Juliana Pellot	Arianna Vigario Christopher Waweru
Dylan Goncalves Rajan Gonda	Brianna Pita Kate Pua	Justin Witter
Ryan Halal Sean Henry	David Punzalan Brielle Rabano	

PARENTS OF CHILDREN IN OUR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM: Watch your mail for REGISTRATION PAPERS FOR THE 2019-2020 CCD YEAR. If you know of someone who has a child entering the first grade, please ask them to contact the Religious Education Office. We will send registration papers to them. Special classes are available for older students who haven't had any prior religious instruction.

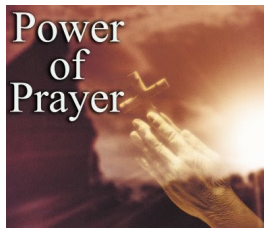


Time	May 25-26 6 th Sunday of Easter	
5:30pm	1. Alyssa De la Cruz 2. Alexis Artiga 3. Blanca Salas 4. Ana Ruiz	
7:30am	1. David Bernot 3. Cherry Vibar 4. Jarlene Estopia	
9:00am	1. Julian Felix 2. Jewelz Massicot 3. Megan Felix 4. Nicholas Laube 5. Joshua Laube	
10:30am	1. Johnnuel Magno 2. Nwando Melie 3. Ian Galing 4. Michael Durugo 5. Joshua Omoruyi	
12:00 noon	1. Lance Fernandez 2. Gabriel Castano 3. Aimee Cabatu-Panlilio 4. Reginald Mondesir	

SICK RELATIVES AND FRIENDS

Please remember in your prayers all those who are sick especially
 Fr. Lawrence Murphy, Joanne Kalkus, Terry & Tony Russo, Joanne Milana
 Doman & Joseph Doman, Rakoczy Family, Peggy Gehrig, Lucy Scalgione,
 Mary Ann Flynn, Joyce Toth, Brian Phillips, Lucille Arnaldo, Aname Oril-
 laneda, Barbara Lombardi, Manuel Crudo, Josephine Steinberg, Julia
 Astsalk, Frances Machado, Flossie Abrigo,
 Roselle Roux, Amanda D'Amato, Richard
 Abrigo, Jean Claude, Carol Nichnadowcz,
 Augusta Mahon, Claubette Kallabeen. Carol
 Czapl, Stephen Czapl, Louis Houmis,
 Clarence Roberts, Francisco Cruz, Jr.,
 Thomasina Rodriguez, Harry Vendemia,
 Illuminda Duyan and Ruth Guido.

Anyone who would like someone to be put
 on the sick list, please contact the parish center. The names will be left
 on for one month, unless notified otherwise.

**DECEASED RELATIVES AND FRIENDS**

Please remember in your prayers all those who have died espe-
 cially **Theresa Nadeau & Marcella Russomagno.**



NOW OFFERING 2 SESSIONS!

Week 1 Date: July 22 - July 26, 2019
 Week 2 Date: July 29 - August 2, 2019
 Mon-Friday: 9am-12noon

Join Us For Either or Both Weeks!

Price: \$55.00 per child per week!
(3rd child in a family is only 25.00!)

Our program is for children ages 4 to 5th grade
Our weeks will include: Bible Stories, Prayer, Arts & Crafts,
 snacks, Playground time, Music, Movies, and much more!

Groups will again be run by the teen members of our
CYO /Youth Ministry Program

This will be a Kid-Friendly, Spiritual and Fun week not to be
missed!

Do Not Delay! Please use the Registration Form below.

Registration is also available online at
www.stmichaelunion.org

ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH 2019 VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
REGISTRATION FORM

-----Week 1 Date: July 22 - July 26, 2019 \$55.00
 -----Week 2 Date: July 29 - August 2, 2019 \$55.00
 -----Both Weeks \$110
Total Enclosed-----

Child's Name-----**Age**-----**Circle: Boy /Girl**
Address-----
Home Phone #-----**Cell Phone**-----
Grade child will start in September-----**School child attends**-----

Parent Name and Signature:-----
Emergency Contact-----

(Name) (Phone) (Relationship)

Please circle any of the following your child is allergic to:
 Chocolate Peanuts Bee Stings
 Does your child have any special concerns we should be aware
 of? This includes any allergies, diabetic, etc.-----

If your child has a food allergy please list snacks they can
eat-----

Pictures from Bible School are used on our Website, for advertis-
 ing and on our Church Bulletin Boards. **No names /personal in-**
formation is ever used or given out on any child.
 If you **do not** want pictures of your child used sign
 here.-----

Register by July 10th and receive a FREE Bible School T-Shirt (a
\$10.00 value) (Others can purchase shirts as supplies last)
Circle T-Shirt Size Child's Sm Med Large Adult small

Please return this form to the St. Michael's Parish Center
 (1211 Orange Ave) in person or by mail. **Youth Ministry Office:**
686-3762 If mailed, please put **St. Michael's Vacation Bible School**
on envelope.

ST. MICHAEL'S SENIORS NEWS

St Michael's Senior Club will meet on Monday, **June 3, 2019**. Doors will open at 11:30 for coffee and social time followed by our general meeting at 12 Noon in the lower church.

June 3rd - Karen Jason, Adult Librarian, Union Public Library .

Upcoming Events:

June, 10 - Monday - Hunterdon Hills Lunch and Show - "Over the River and Thru the Woods

June 17 - Club Luncheon in the lower church. This will be our last meeting for the 2018-2019 session

Support our charitable initiatives:

Pennies for our parish initiatives jar
Personal items for the homeless and needy.
(Gerry Jones)

Membership is extended to those 55 and over.

SAVE THE DATE:

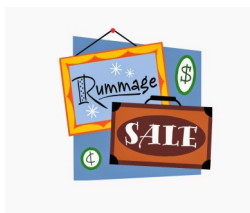
RAMMAGE/FLEA MARKET SALE

JULY 13 & 14, 2019 IN THE LOWER CHURCH

ACCEPTING GOOD CONDITION CLOTHES AND MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS. NO BIG APPLIANCES AND BIG FURNITURE.

DROP OFF DATES WILL BE ANNOUNCED.

MORE INFORMATION WILL FOLLOW.



ST. MICHAEL PARISH
1212 KELLY STREET, UNION, NJ 07083

Paint and Sip

TICKETS \$40
Snacks Supplied
[BYOB]

Evening includes wine glass to be decorated, all supplies and instructions

June 1st 6:30pm-10:00pm
Tickets can be purchased Online @ stmichaelunion.org

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT TINA SPASSIONE @ TINYA123@YAHOO.COM

ST. MICHAEL CHURCH CELEBRATES THE FEAST OF ST. ALPHONSA
(THE FIRST SAINT OF INDIA)

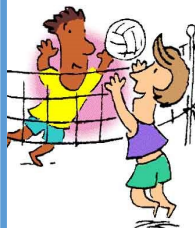
ST. ALPHONSA PRY FOR US

SUNDAY JULY 28, 2019
AT 12:00 PM MASS
REFRESHMENTS FOLLOW AFTER MASS
EVERYONE IS INVITED

Made with PosterMyWall.com

CYO/Youth Ministry News

cyounion@aol.com



This **Tuesday, May 28th** is our fund-raising **Charity Volleyball Tournament!** All teams are to report at

6pm to the St. Michael's School Gym where the tournament will be held.

There will be time for practice and

we will begin once all teams are present. Please be sure to bring your team rosters and donations to the game!

Special thanks to our Seniors who volunteered last week at the Quadriplegic Center. As always you made a difference!

THE PARISH OF
St. Michael the Archangel
Union, New Jersey
Cordially invites you to attend our
91ST ANNIVERSARY
Dance The Night Away!
SATURDAY
SEPTEMBER 28, 2019
at
Knights of Columbus
7:00 - 11:00 PM
TICKETS: \$50 PER PERSON

PosterMyWall.com